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## ULSTERMAN

Cites Revolutionary History That's Not Known to the Average American.

British Authorities Declare Emigrants Helped Win War For Independence.

Thirteen Colonies and Washington Valiantly Aided by Men of Ireland.

IRISH TROOPS FROM FRANCE

Following is the second letter of Dr. William B. Doherty, correcting the Courier-Journal and setting forth some history not known to the average American:

Through a mistake of the printer, in my note on Irish Americanization, in the Courier-Journal of November 30, I was quoted, instead of Lord Mountjoy, as stating that the majority of the Continental army during the war for American Independence was Irish. A writer in yesterday's Courier-Journal attempts to contradict Lord Mountjoy's statement, and to ignore completely the great and noble work which was done by the Irish for the War of Independence. "History is the high court of humanity, whose truth must be heard and justice must be pronounced." I shall quote English and American authorities to prove that the major part of the soldiers in the Continental army were Irish. Lord Chatham in the English Parliament in January, 1775, declared Ireland is with the Americans to a man.

An address to the people of Ireland by the Continental Congress, Philadelphia, dated July 28, 1775, and signed by John Hancock, asserts that "many thousands of your countrymen have found hospitality, peace, affluence and become united to us by all the laws of consanguinity, mutual respect and affection." In 1784 (not 1786) Lord Mountjoy gave this testimony in the House of Lords: "America was lost by Irish emigrants. I am assured from the best authority the major part of the American army was composed of Irish, and that the Irish language was as commonly spoken in the American ranks as English. I am also informed it was their valor that determined the contest so that England had America detached by Irish emigrants."

In the year 1779 there was widespread dissatisfaction in England over the conduct of the Revolution. Charges of laxity and incompetence were brought against the Commander-in-Chief, Sir William Howe, and other officers, and so severely were they criticised in Parliament that the Premier of England decided to appoint a committee of the Lords and Commons to inquire into the charges and summon home several of the military chiefs for the purpose of obtaining information from those at first hand. They met on May 5, 1779, Samuel Galloway, Lord George Germain, Lord Cornwallis, Sir Grey Custis, Major-General Grey, James Robertson having been present. The Royal Gazette, on its beginning with the issue of September 21, 1779, and concluding with November 13, publishes, in answer to the question, "What portion of the rebel army that enlisted in the service of the Congress, were they chiefly composed of the natives of America or were the greater part English, Scotch or Irish?" Joseph Galloway answered: "The names and places of their nativity being taken down, I can answer the question with decision. There were scarcely one-fourth natives of America, about one-half Irish, the other fourth were English and Scotch."

Major General Robertson, of the British army, who had served for twenty years in America, testified Jan. 8, 1781: "I remember General Lee telling me that half the rebel (Continental) army were from Ireland." General Challey Lee was second in command of the Continental army after the battle of Bunker Hill. The Second South Carolina Regiment was composed entirely from descendants of the Irish colony at Williamsburg and between Sante and Peeche rivers. The Pennsylvania line was the Irish line so called by General Lee. The United States Brigade and Irish Brigade under Dillon, Walsh and O'Brien fought at the siege of Savannah.

The men who stood behind the brawny back of Bunker Hill, known as the wall on that memorable day June 17, 1775, and held in check two battalions of English soldiers from annihilating the devoted Continentals, were Irish almost to a man, from Bedford, N. H., and were officered by Col. Daniel Moore, Maj. John Goffe, Thomas McLaughlin and John Patten. In published historical sketches of the town of Bedford, and in the collections of the New Hampshire Historical Society, Volume 1, page 291, may be seen the names of the men of the company. The majority were Irish or sons of Irish emigrants.

Heitman's compilation of Continental officers gives upward of 600 officers of Irish names in Continental line, not speaking of militia. For his aides-de-camp, Washington chose in succession Joseph Reed, son of an Irish emigrant, Stephen Moylan, and James Fitzgerald, and his esteem for General Sullivan, who won the first decisive battle of the war, and Montgomery, Hand Thompson, Barry and other Irish commanders was displayed on several occasions. Count Arthur Dillon sailed with 2,000 Irish troops from France for America to pay for a fitting memorial.

bases that relieved the colonists of a great danger.

Yes, the fighting Irish race was well represented "over here" in the army for independence as it was "over there" in our late war.

"Ring out the names and Burke sat back."

And Kelly drooped his head, While Shea, they called him Scholar Jack,

Went down the list of the dead.

There were blossoms of blood on our sprigs of green,

Kelly and Burke and Shea,

Well, here's to the flag.

Said Kelly, Burke and Shea."

WM. B. DOHERTY.

MACKIN COUNCIL.

Mackin Council, Y. M. L., had another of its large and spirited meetings Monday night. The fact that the annual election was to take place aroused much interest and the finish for several offices was exciting, especially that for Financial Secretary, Joseph Hohmann defeating Will G. Buckley by a tremendous majority. A high compliment was paid Anthony McGuire, Gus Hoerz and Frank Hohmann, who had no opposition. When the ballots were canvassed the following were declared elected 'or the year 1919:

President—Anthony J. McGuire,  
Vice-Presidents—T. Leo Connally,  
John O'Connor,  
Financial Secretary—Joseph A.  
Hohmann,  
Recording Secretary—Frank Hohmann.

Treasurer—Gus Hoerz,  
Marshal—Charles Lynn,  
Inside Sentinel—Russell Ott,  
Outside Sentinel—Anthony Connally.

Executive Committee—Robert Osborne, Geo. Poggen, Robt. Butler, John Curran, Gilbert Donnelly. The past year has been a very successful one for Mackin, the membership again going over 500 and the council being almost entirely out of debt. From now on basketball will be a feature on Wednesday and Friday nights, under the direction of George Thornton, who has organized and equipped two leagues.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS.

St. John's Hall, Clay and Walnut, was throught on Friday night with members of the Catholic Knights of America from all over the city, who assembled to greet Dr. Felix Gaudin, Supreme President, who brought a message of good cheer from the Supreme Council. President Gaudin gave a succinct and convincing explanation of the workings of this very successful Catholic fraternal society and the revised classification now offered the members. Many of the older members were present and questioned the President at length, and his answers were convincing and satisfactory to all, especially so to the older members, who are always provided with the new classification. To the Kentucky Irish American President Gaudin said the Catholic Knights were now absolutely safe, the membership satisfied and constantly increasing and the outlook for the future brighter than ever before.

GENUINE SUCCESS.

The body of eminent singers from the Patriarchal Roman basilicas under Monsignor Maestro Raffaele Casimir, who sang their farewell concert of the limited American tour in the Metropolitan Opera House on Tuesday, December 2, sailed Friday morning on La Touraine for Rome via Havre. During their short stay of two and one-half months in America the tour included fifty-six concerts, of which eight were return engagements, making forty-eight cities visited. The total receipts for the fifty-six concerts aggregated a little less than \$500,000 and some idea of the expense and magnitude of the tour is outlined with the added announcement that the gentlemen who financed it did not make any profit. As the tourne was not undertaken as a money-making enterprise there has been no complaint as to the financial results. In the light of this record it is permissible to regard the visit of the Vatican Choirs to America as a genuine success.

HAD GREAT DAY.

Last Sunday eighty-two candidates were initiated into New Albany Council, K. of C. at the Y. M. C. club house, breaking all former records. Louisville, Jeffersontown, St. Louis and other councils were well represented. The first and second degrees were conferred by the Louisville degree team. James D. Glenn, assisted by Harry Hackett and staff, St. Louis, conferred the major degree. Members and candidates attended mass at St. Mary's church, where the Rev. Paul Villeneuve delivered the sermon, and candidates were entertained at dinner at St. Joseph's Hall. A banquet was held at Holy Trinity school hall at 7 o'clock, at which Gilbert E. Powell presided as toastmaster. Speakers were the Rev. Charles F. Walsh, associate rector of Holy Trinity church; John F. Kern, St. Louis, past State deputy of Missouri, and Thomas D. Clines, Past Grand Knight of Louisville Council.

ESTATE WAS MEAGER.

A fitting monument to the late Bishop P. J. Garrigan will be erected by the Knights of Columbus of Sioux City in Mt. Calvary cemetery, according to plans of the organization to accept the services of the Knights of Columbus in Sioux City, and it is held proper by the members that a recognition be made of the churchman in the form of a stone to be erected over his last resting place. The organization in Sioux City is composed of 1,000 members, some of whom have already sent voluntary contributions. The Bishop's will provided for the erection of a monument, but his estate was too meager to pay for a fitting memorial.

## IRELAND

Sinn Fein Gaining True Followers in Every Section of That Country.

Unjust Action Against Blythe Shown Up in Trial of the Accused.

England's Serious Restriction on the Trade Liberty of the United States.

SET TONE FOR IRISH AFFAIRS.

Poses which are now being put forward by the co-operative movement and the Farmers' Union for the establishment in Ireland of a number of killing and packing concerns on a co-operative basis.

MAJOR SCOTT BULLITT.

Receipt at Camp Taylor of a series of charts on court martial procedure from the Judge Advocate General's Department in Washington, endorsed "Prepared by Major



A. Scott Bullitt, J. A. G. D.," disclosed an important piece of work done by a citizen of Louisville who is still in the service of Uncle Sam. They have been sent by the War Department to the various army camps and posts for use by the staff and trial Judge Advocates.

The charts deal with all the important military offenses and also the civil offenses most frequently met with in the army. In separate columns are given the recognized definitions of the various offenses grouped according to subject matter; sample forms of charges and specifications drawn according to the military practice, the necessary statements to be presented in the maximum punishment fixed by the President's orders for time of peace, and the various sections of the Articles of War Manual of Court Martial, Federal penal code, and District of Columbia code applicable to each offense.

As he was about to speak at a meeting in the country a man handed him a letter and asked him to carry it to someone else. This letter Blythe put into his pocket—naturally without reading it, although the envelope was not sealed. At the meeting the platform was surrounded by a force of soldiers and police and the speakers were searched. The letter in question was taken from Blythe by a police inspector and was found to contain a scheme for boycotting and intimidating the friends and relatives of policemen.

A warrant was issued for his arrest but was not executed until he had been in the familiar Irish phrase "out of rule" for several weeks. He was then taken to the Sinn Fein headquarters and kept in prison for a considerable time without any charge being made against him. Finally he was brought before a military court, charged with having in his possession a document likely to cause disaffection.

After the usual evidence the prisoner, while following the established precedent in denying the jurisdiction of the court, made a statement to his friends and constituents in which he declared that not only was he completely unaware of the contents of the letter in question, but he had an absolute abhorrence of all such methods as those suggested in it and would never countenance their adoption. This statement from a man of known integrity is of the utmost importance showing as it does that the accusation made against the leaders of Sinn Fein of complicity in a campaign of violence is unfounded. Blythe's action has probably done more to convert respectable and moderate Nationalists to a cause which they hitherto shrank from embracing than any other recent event.

RECENT DEATHS.

Tuesday morning the Angel of Death entered the home of Joseph and Myrtle Meagher, 615 Washington street, taking into heavenly rest their infant son, James T. Meagher. The only consolation is that an angel awaits the bereaved parents, to whom is tendered the sympathy of many friends.

Mrs. Mary Noonan, widow of the late Michael Noonan and a highly esteemed member of the Sacred Heart parish, passed into eternal rest Monday afternoon at the family home, 2202 West Broadway. She is survived by four daughters, Misses Annie, Elesha and Margaret Noonan and Mrs. Magdalene Dolan; a son, Edward Noonan; a sister, Miss Joanna O'Connor, and a brother, Jerry O'Connor. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning, Rev. Patrick Walsh celebrating requiem mass.

With impressive services at St. Mary's church the last solemn rites were held over the remains of Col. Henry Felhoelter, last Sunday afternoon, attended by a vast concourse of sorrowing friends and old associates. For many years the deceased conducted a successful grocery business from which he retired because of advancing age. He was long a prominent figure in the Knights of St. John and for a number of years was Colonel of the Kentucky division. Col. Felhoelter had a wide acquaintance, and his genial disposition and kindness to the poor won him lasting friendships. Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Josephine Felhoelter, and five sons and four daughters. The Knights of St. John were present in force and paid marked honor to his memory.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA.

The regular bi-monthly meeting of Louisville Circle, Daughters of Isabella, will take place Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at Knights of Columbus Hall. As the election of officers for 1920 will take place at this meeting a large attendance is looked for. All those having books on the "walking doll" are requested to return them on or before Tuesday evening, as the contest will be closed that night.

## DEMOCRATS

Pleased That Keystone Police Were in On the Frankfort Festivities.

State Residents Now Have Unbiased Views of Louisville's Reform Employees.

Louisville Herald's Camouflage of Keystone Band and Rifle Squad.

FIREMEN BEING SLIGHTED.

reached. As for the band proper being in Frankfort that is far from the truth. Both members were seen on duty here, the "guitar" artist and "jewsharp" performer not going along for the fun. If the Herald wants to complete its story of the Frankfort inauguration an explanation might be made why seventy-five Louisville police paid \$4 a day by the Louisville taxpayers were transported to Frankfort for a Republican holiday. Of course there is no law or precedence for it, but "reform" cares not for law.

The only pity to the whole affair is that some of the "famous new firemen" weren't taken along to give the Frankfort residents and spectators a treat. They might have got away with that net trick in a strange crowd, the joke consisting of asking one or more to jump from a building into a net and the firemen let them the net slip and break three or four of your ribs. Of course there are little acts of comedy the outsiders don't appreciate. Here's one. At the fire alarm No. 15 engine and hose reel got test from one another although no one ever heard of a case like that in local history, the written rule being that they must keep together at all hazards. Why not try a little of that kids' game of "hare and hounds" and let the leaders drop slips of paper for those following the chase. Here's another phase which is going to make Louisville's undertakers look to their laurels. The soldier firemen at Camp Taylor always beat the local "hick" firemen answering a call in their vicinity and at the recent fire at the Remount Station the Camp Taylor firemen three miles away, were throwing water on the fire when Engine Company 18, less than a mile away, arrived on the scene. Another illustration of the speed of the marvels is that the Salvage Corps, composed of real firemen, in an swinging arum out Sixth street will beat the No. 7 company on the scene, although the latter company has three-quarters of a mile handicap to start with. So, by all means let's start a move that the next time our Keystone band and our famous rifle squad go on a jaunt like the Frankfort trip, the comedy firemen should be in on the treat.

## FRIENDS OF FREEDOM.

Tuesday night the regular monthly meeting of Robert Emmet Branch, Friends of Irish Freedom, was held in Breckinridge Hall, and the large gathering wore many new faces indicative of the increasing interest in the cause of Ireland in Louisville. Rev. John O'Connor presided and all the officers were present to welcome the many new members and their friends. Rev. Francis Martin, of St. Patrick's, had a patriotic and strong plea for loyalty to America and justice to Erin that was warmly applauded.

Letters of appreciation from the local改良派 reform administration, the Knights of Columbus, the Hert-Searcy machine will control "Howdy Ed" Morrow and the State Department the people throughout the State will get a taste of what Louisville taxpayers suffer under the guise of Republican reform. This looks plausible and we can look for a State administration patterned after the Louisville regime—low taxes, high assessments, extravagance and mismanagement. But to get back to the inauguration "doings" and the escapades of our wandering Keystoners. For the past few weeks the G. O. P. machine organ, the Louisville Herald, had been to its colonies with the press for the inauguration and much stress was laid on the fact that the "famous rifle squad" of the Keystone force would be in line on the big day. Here's the joke of this. The Herald repeats and repeats that the "famous rifle squad" as it is styled, is composed of overseas veterans, yet when the Herald attempted to name the overseas veterans of the "famous rifle squad" the list was padded with the names of Dick Wellman, a Spanish war veteran, Major Dick Laird, Harry Baker, William Colgan, and others WHO

WERE NOT OVERSEAS, and then to complete the fake filled in with the names of Tom Riggs and a few others who were in the navy. Then to add insult to injury the Herald says that they are heroes of Cheateau Thierry.

Outside of the few above names, who are not heroes of Cheateau Thierry, the rest of the "famous rifle squad" is composed of a bunch of "yap" ex-motormen and conductors, who never carried anything closer to a rifle before in their life than a street car switching iron. It does seem that the local branch of the American Legion ought to register a protest against this bunch of "hicks" masquerading as the "famous rifle squad" of overseas veterans when the nearest they ever got to overseas was in clopping to Jeffersontown or crossing the "crick back home." Along with the other gaff humor but by the machine organ much pride of Col. Petty and his noble steed and the famous aeroplane flight of Night Chief Laird to Frankfort, the much advertised flight of the Major fizzled and the flight wasn't made. As for the Colonel, much sympathy must be expressed for the poor overworked reporter and photographer who have to say and picture something about our Chief and his million-dollar uniform and white horse in every little old pupgon parade or blowout. One day it is the "Colonel on his brave charger," the next time "Chief Petty and his handsome steed," then "Our Chief and his noble stallion," etc., etc., all our Keystone police head is as much advertised as those who take Tanlaw.

Another smooth piece of camouflage the Herald pulled off in connection with the inauguration and the part played by the Keystone police was this. Tuesday a picture of Harry L. Cook in police uniform was printed and he was styled as conductor of the Louisville Police Department Band. Get that, will you?

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Sgt. at Arms—Thomas Noone.  
Standing Committee—Wm. M. Higgins, Patrick Begley, Emmet Desmond, Patrick Mullen, James Ryan.

This division has had a very prosperous year, largely due to the untiring efforts of President O'Leary. Division 3 will be in line with the playlets hitherto given before the club members promise a performance of unusual merit. Next Monday night the club will hold its annual meeting for this month in the auditorium of Presentation Academy.

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## HOLIDAY BUYERS.

The Christmas and the New Year holidays are now at hand and it would be well for all to look over the advertisements that appear in these columns during these weeks and buy of our merchants all the needed things that go to make the season one of the good cheer. Repair at once to the places of business of our advertisers, and there you will find what you wish to make merry the heart and home of every friend and relative.

## FOOLISH MISSION.

It is reported that some half dozen North of Ireland ministers have come to America to tell the people of this country all about the situation in Ireland. Now watch our pro-English daily papers open their columns to these propagandists. But it will require something more than newspaper publicity to undo the work that has been accomplished by President De Valera in the past few months. The people of America are in favor of self-determination for Ireland. It matters little what the press agencies want.

## AMERICAN SOLDIERS.

The American Legion is an American soldiers' organization, and every American boy who served in the war, irrespective of race or creed, should join it. As the Indiana Catholic points out, the Catholic manhood of America was foremost in the war. It should be foremost in the American Legion. The organization is formed on broad patriotic lines. Its national convention, held recently, showed the stuff it was made of. Father Kelley, the National Chaplain, says "every American soldier should join the legion." The Bolsheviks and the Socialists are of course lined up against it. They say it is "organized to suppress labor organizations." This is untrue. Go into the American Legion and help to make it as great as its great name. Fathers and mothers should see that their boys join the legion and take active part in its meetings.

## HITS THE NAIL.

The Catholic Telegraph states the case correctly in saying that every thoughtful, patriotic citizen must feel anxious over the outcome of the crisis through which our country is passing at the present time. It is the sincerest folly to pretend that the situation is not fraught with serious danger. It is not merely that unless threatens the nation with unascertainable evils; the country is actually the seat of a most cruel war waged by capital on one side and organized labor on the other. The people at large are forced to play the role of non-combatant victims of the conflict, to suffer from extortion, hunger and cold. This condition should not have been permitted to arise. It should not be tolerated for a day longer that the time necessary for the Government to take the proper action, however drastic, to respect the rights of the general public. The treaty of peace between Germany and the United States has not yet been concluded; therefore let martial law for this country be proclaimed, if such a measure be required, to force capital and labor to submit to compulsory arbitration. Let us have action quick and decisive.

## AMERICA FOR IRELAND.

The great tour through the United States of Eamonn De Valera, President of the Republic of Ireland, has had the result of proving that America is still safe for democracy and that the American people continue to be the champions of world liberty, in spite of all that has been done by British propagandists and American traitors to prejudice their minds against the oppressed peoples of the earth. This is the sense of a statement issued by Frank P. Walsh, Chairman of the American Commission on Irish Independence, summarizing the important facts concerning President De Valera's trip and making public for the first time a detailed account of his American experiences, most of which were carefully ignored by the powerful news-distributing organizations. At every meeting resolutions were adopted calling upon the United States Government to recognize the Republic of Ireland, demanding such modification of the government of the League of Nations as would safeguard Ireland's right to self-determination.

nation and liberty, and urging upon the Government that further financial accommodations be withheld from Great Britain so long as the British Government continued to spend huge sums in the military occupation of Ireland.

## STATUS OF TREATY.

It is not the intention of the administration, according to Senator Hitchcock, minority leader, to keep the peace treaty before the Senate to the exclusion of other pressing matters. The treaty will be kept in the Foreign Relations Committee or held in the background while an effort is made to reach a compromise. If this succeeds it will be brought out for a vote. If it fails the treaty is dead, and the only thing for Congress to do is to pass a resolution declaring an end to hostilities. It looks now as if this will be done.

## SHATTERED.

The League of Nations covenant is rejected, and English diplomats, statesmen and propagandists are asking the British Cabinet to explain the cause which contributed to the defeat. The blow is the most severe one ever dealt to English ambitions. England's belief that a reversal of America's traditions, handed down by Washington and the patriots who freed the American Colonies from English subjection, was to be at last accomplished by skillful diplomacy, is shattered.

Rev. W. G. Cummins and Rev. J. B. Dawson, of the Dominican Fathers, have been on the sick list this week.

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Miss Alice Griffin, after a visit of several weeks with relatives here, has returned to her home at Frankfort.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maguire, Parkview, entertained at dinner Miss Anastasia Maguire, Misses Mildred, Edith and Lucille Maguire, Mrs. Rachel Maguire, John Bishop and J. C. Bertell.

Miss Catherine McDermott, who is attending Sacred Heart Academy at St. Mary Magdalene's church, at New York, will return December 19 to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. McDermott. Edward McDermott, Jr., will return at the same time from Georgetown College.

## TWIN CITY STAR WEDS.

Tim O'Loughlin, the well known star catcher of the Twin City Baseball League and all-around athlete, sprang a surprise on his friends by being married in Akron, Ohio, last week, where he is employed with the Goodrich Tire Company. His bride is Miss Alice Crutcher, also of the city, and following the ceremony the young couple left on a bridal tour to Detroit, Cleveland and other points. They will make their home in Akron this winter, but our popular groom writes the Kentucky Irish American that he will be on hand when the A. O. H. team takes the field at Shawnee Park in the spring.

## BISHOP MURRAY.

The news of the appointment by the Holy Father of Rev. John G. Murray, Chancellor of the Hartford diocese, as auxiliary to Bishop Nilan, came as most agreeable tidings to his host of friends, the choice of the Sovereign Pontiff being approved by clerical and laity alike. The clergy of the diocese are unanimously outspoken in supporting the Bishop-elect for eminently qualified for the duties of the high office to which he has been called.

Bishop-elect Murray was born in Waterbury, Conn., February 26, 1877; made his classical and philosophical studies at Holy Cross College, Worcester; was sent to the American College at Louvain by Bishop Tierney, and was ordained priest April 14, 1900. After returning home he served for three years as professor of Latin, Greek and R. C. Seminary at St. Thomas Seminary. At Holy Cross College Father Murray's record for scholarship is counted one of the assets of the institution, while at the American College, where he is called "The Pearl of Louvain," it is said that one before his time ever made such a brilliant course, and no one has equalled it since his departure.

## PRAISES AMERICAN.

Pope Benedict received Mrs. John Adams Drake, of New York City, President of the American Free Milk and Relief for Italy Society, in audience last Friday, congratulating her upon her work in supplying milk to Italian children and families and expressing his gratification. He presented her with an autographed photograph and implored her blessing upon her work. Mrs. Drake's organization will supply milk to the sanitarian for tubercular children which Pope Benedict has founded near Rome.

## COMING EVENTS.

December 14 and 21—Presentation Academy entertainment, afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

December 18—Illustrated lecture on Rome by Anthony Matre, of Chicago, at Windthorst Hall, Floyd and Magnolia.

December 21—Christmas entertainment of St. Patrick's school in hall, Sixteenth and Market.

Buy your wheel tickets at this office.

## SOCIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Monahan have been spending several weeks in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Kauffman have returned from their bridal tour and gone to housekeeping.

Mr. and Mrs. John Toner, of St. Louis, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Frey.

Misses Essie and Maggie Everin have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willis Roberts at Eastwood.

Mrs. D. J. Duane entertained her 500 Club Wednesday afternoon at her home in Audubon avenue.

George Kremer, Jr., who is attending school at Morristown, N. J., will return home next Saturday.

Tom Bryant has returned to Cincinnati, after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Finegan, Clifton.

Miss Edith O'Bryan has returned from a delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cahill at St. Matthews.

John H. Hennessy is out once again after a long illness, receiving warm greetings from his friends.

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Miss Alice Griffin, after a visit of several weeks with relatives here, has returned to her home at Frankfort.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maguire, Parkview, entertained at dinner Miss Anastasia Maguire, Misses Mildred, Edith and Lucille Maguire, Mrs. Rachel Maguire, John Bishop and J. C. Bertell.

Miss Catherine McDermott, who is attending Sacred Heart Academy at St. Mary Magdalene's church, at New York, will return December 19 to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. McDermott. Edward McDermott, Jr., will return at the same time from Georgetown College.

## TWIN CITY STAR WEDS.

Tim O'Loughlin, the well known star catcher of the Twin City Baseball League and all-around athlete, sprang a surprise on his friends by being married in Akron, Ohio, last week, where he is employed with the Goodrich Tire Company. His bride is Miss Alice Crutcher, also of the city, and following the ceremony the young couple left on a bridal tour to Detroit, Cleveland and other points. They will make their home in Akron this winter, but our popular groom writes the Kentucky Irish American that he will be on hand when the A. O. H. team takes the field at Shawnee Park in the spring.

## BISHOP MURRAY.

The news of the appointment by the Holy Father of Rev. John G. Murray, Chancellor of the Hartford diocese, as auxiliary to Bishop Nilan, came as most agreeable tidings to his host of friends, the choice of the Sovereign Pontiff being approved by clerical and laity alike. The clergy of the diocese are unanimously outspoken in supporting the Bishop-elect for eminently qualified for the duties of the high office to which he has been called.

Bishop-elect Murray was born in Waterbury, Conn., February 26, 1877; made his classical and philosophical studies at Holy Cross College, Worcester; was sent to the American College at Louvain by Bishop Tierney, and was ordained priest April 14, 1900. After returning home he served for three years as professor of Latin, Greek and R. C. Seminary at St. Thomas Seminary. At Holy Cross College Father Murray's record for scholarship is counted one of the assets of the institution, while at the American College, where he is called "The Pearl of Louvain," it is said that one before his time ever made such a brilliant course, and no one has equalled it since his departure.

## DIOCESAN SEMINARY.

The recent drive for a new diocesan seminary for the San Antonio diocese netted more than \$100,000. Bishop Drossart will begin construction at once and hopes to have the buildings ready for dedication by the Apostolic Delegate next August.

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FRANKFORT.

Frankfort Knights of Columbus will hold an initiation and banquet tomorrow. Principal speakers will be John J. Donavan, of Ludlow, State Deputy; Matt J. Hennessy, of Augusta, and Frank McCarthy, of Lexington. Forty-eight candidates from Frankfort and twenty-five from Lexington will be initiated. Following the ceremonies there will be an elaborate banquet at the Frankfort Hotel.

VISIT NEW YORK.

Quite number of well known Louisville people were in New York last week and they helped materially to swell the usual delegation of Kentucky visitors. Among them were Mrs. J. B. McMullan, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Robson, Miss F. Brown, William M. Rawlings, A. D. Edgar, Herman T. Redd, J. H. Mackay and T. S. Merle.

Prof. Fred Loring, teacher of the organ at St. Mary Magdalene's church, at New York, will return December 19 to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. McDermott. Edward McDermott, Jr., will return at the same time from Georgetown College.

BEGINS NEW DUTIES.

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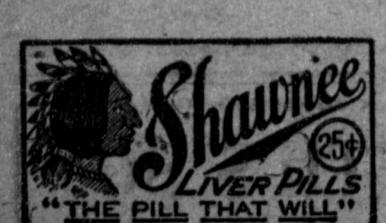
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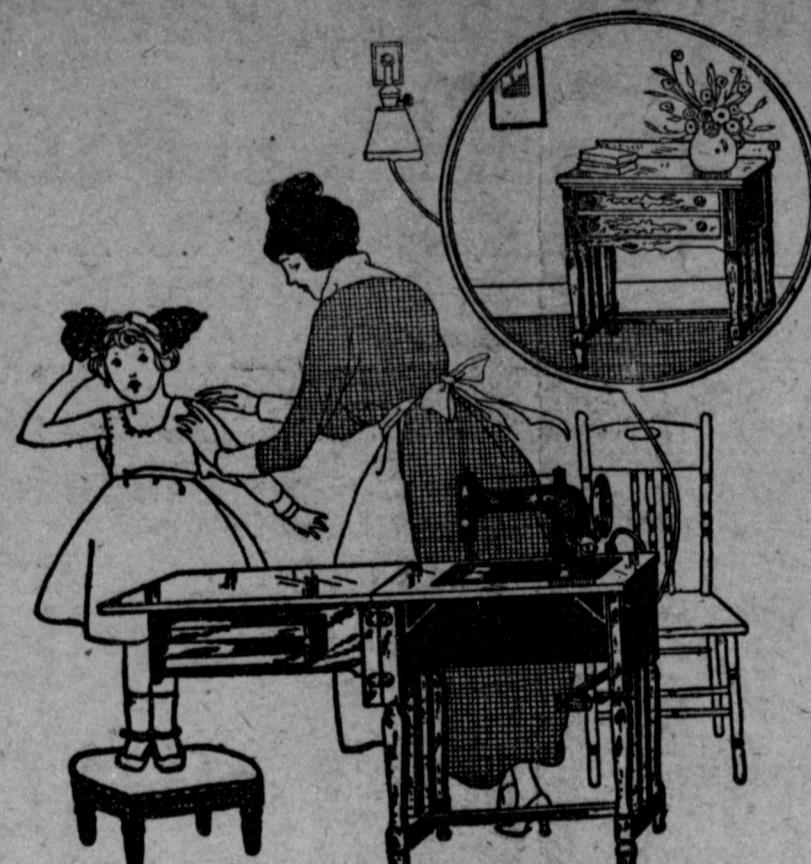
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Mrs. Mary McGrady was elected President by Ladies' Auxiliary 8 of Indianapolis at the regular meeting last week, which was well attended.

Jerry O'Grady was elected President and will direct the affairs of Division 3 of Indianapolis for the next term. A smoker followed the election.

A big class initiation for the three divisions at St. Joseph, Mo., takes place next Thursday. The campaign has ended with gratifying results.

The minstrels of the Ladies' Auxiliary at St. Joseph, Mo., was an interesting event, and as an appreciation the young people were tendered a dinner dance by Mrs. John Downey, County President, and Miss June Hannan, Division President.

An occasion long to be remembered by the ten Indiana divisions of the Ladies' Auxiliary was the quarterly joint initiation in St. Joseph's Hall, when seventy-five new members were received into the order with impressive ceremonies.

A visit from Miss Ada K. Gannon to Imogene, Iowa, at the request of the Ladies' Auxiliary, was an occasion of great pleasure to the members. Five new members were initiated and Miss Gannon was presented with a gold rosary as a token of esteem.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Indianapolis adopted resolutions at the County Board quarterly meeting respectfully asking Congressman Merritt Moore, of that district, to support with voice and vote the Mason resolution, now before the Foreign Affairs Committee of Congress, asking for the recognition by the Government of the United States of the independence of the Republic of Ireland.

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TRINITY COUNCIL ELECTION.

Trinity Council, Y. M. L., held its

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J. A. O'Grady; President, Jos. M. Beale; First Vice President, John A. Osterholt; Second Vice President, T. M. Davin; Recording Secretary, John L. Timmel; Corresponding Secretary, J. H. Oehler; Treasurer, Wm. F. Kruse, Jr.; Marshal, A. J. Dittmeier; Inside Sentinel, John J. Murphy; Outside Sentinel, R. J. Anger; Executive Committee, C. E. Mueller, J. L. Sullivan, E. Luvia, L. T. Eberle and V. K. Ecker.

APPOINTED CHAPLAIN.

The Rev. Joseph Neesen, formerly

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ceeding the Rev. G. A. Vanroosten-

bergh, who died last July. Since

Father Van's death the Passionists

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